CENTRIST PARTY **GAINING GROUND**

Protestants Uniting With Catholics to Down Radicals in Germany

TO CONTROL ASSEMBLY

By EDWIN L. JAMES

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Coblenz, Jan. 23.—For the last two weeks there has been in progress an organized movement, under the direction of the Centrist party, which has its stronghold in the Rinneland, for curbing radicalism in Germany by a union of religious and political bodies. It reckors that if it can join with any considerable faction of evangelicals to can force the holding of national assembly elections, and then be in a post tion of control that its content and the proposed in the Rinneland for curbing radicalism of certain districts a reign of terror has been set up by organized bands, who, provided with motor lorries, are carrying out pillaging expeditions. The shopkeepers have also to contend with "requisitions" by Spartacans when the Government in the midst of its stronghold in the Rinneland, for curbing radicalism in Germany by a union of religious and political bodies. It reckors that if it can join with any considerable faction of evangelicals to can force the holding of national assembly elections, and then be in a post tion to contend with "requisitions" by Spartacans.

A Bolshevist outbreak was planned the growth of the piot reached their opponents, who got a blow in first. This morning a "public security car." sembly elections, and then be in a post tion to control that assembly, if need be, against the radicals. This movement started with the statement of the Centrist party which

statement of the Centrist party which I cabled ten days ago, calling on Germans who were foes of destructive radicalism to join the new Centrist party, which would be a Christian popular party. This opening of the gate of the hitherte Cathelic party to Protestants for united Christian action in the national emergency is achieving success, according to Centrist leaders here. In support of this they are laying great stress on a statement by Prof. K. Dunkelmann, of Berlin, Protestant theologien, in which be calls on the Protestants to join with the Cathelies in a controlling Christian party on a house-cardin platform for the settlement of foreign and domestic affairs of state, but leaving both religious factions free to pursue their own quarrels after the more their own quarrels after the more urgent needs of the moment have been

After saying that on purely general Presidente Wilson ed i Primi Ministri di questions there was no reason why the two religious schools should not work | Francia, Italia ed Inghittern s'incontogether for the common good, Dector training nell'Officio del Ministro degli

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two religious schools should not work together for the common good, Doctor Dunkelmann says: "As against three branches of the social democracy are prima che la conferenza and equate counter-evelgift can only he brought to bear by a solid shalanx including all indide-class parties, and it is the mission of the new Centriet party as a Christian popular party to form the nucleus of this plainux around which all other well-halanced elements, and especially those of the Protestant faith, will be able to rally.

"This is what is happening, for example, in places where the danger of control by the social democracy is most apparent, namely, in Berlix, Evangelical elements: are known to have centributed largely to generous made by the New Year's demonstration made by the New Year's demonstration made by the New Year's demonstration made to you need the forenumer of a real and of the concentration of the forenumer of a real and of the concentration of the forenumer of a real evangelist of the forenumer of a real ev

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BOLSHEVIST OUTBREAK AT HAMBURG THWARTED

Reds Outmaneuvred and Leader Flees-Anarchy at Berlin Embar rasses Government in Midst of Struggle With Spartacans. Shops Looted

By LEONARD SPRAY

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Prominent Evangelical Calls

On Christians to Bury Factional Strife

tional Strife

Rotterdam, Jan. 11 (delayed)—The Berlin telegraphists today demanded higher wages and presented an ultimatum to the Government that unless their demands were granted in full they would strike within five days.

Today there was looting on a big balcony with the intention of making him deliver a speech dictated by them was looting on a big balcony with the intention of making him deliver a speech dictated by them was looting on a big balcony with the intention of making him deliver a speech dictated by them was looting on a big balcony with the intention of making him deliver a speech dictated by them was looting on a big balcony with the intention of making him deliver a speech dictated by them was looting to the control of the town hall, followed by a huge crowd of workers, and forced an entrance into the office of the Boshevist land scaled to the town hall, followed by a huge crowd of workers, and forced an entrance into the office of the Boshevist land scaled to the town hall, followed by a huge crowd of workers, and forced an entrance into the office of the Boshevist land scaled to the town hall, followed by a huge crowd of workers, and forced an entrance into the office of the Boshevist land scaled to the town hall, followed by a huge crowd of workers, and forced an entrance into the office of the Boshevist land scaled to the town hall, followed by a huge crowd of workers, and forced an entrance into the office of the Boshevist land scaled to the town hall, followed by a huge crowd of workers, and forced an entrance into the office of the Boshevist land scaled to the town hall, followed by a huge crowd of workers, and forced an entrance into the office of the Boshevist land scaled to the town hall, followed by a huge crowd of workers, and forced an entrance into the office of the Boshevist land scaled to the town hall, followed by a huge crowd of workers, and forced an entrance into the office of the Boshevist land scaled to

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That Deprives Fighters of

Advancements Earned

By EDWIN L. JAMES

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Coblenz, Jan. 13.-1 met on a street a

but Dependable Force to Maintain Order to Maintain Order IRON CROSS DISAPPEARS deeds performed. More than this, among the demobilized soldiers one seldom sees the decoration ribbon worn. There is certainly no regulation against it, but the iron cross seems to have lost its luster. It seems no longer to giorify the wearer. No one explains it, although many ask why. One local newspaper contains an editorial on the subject. It says, in part: Common Mills of Description of the subject is provided by the subject of the subject of the subject is provided by the subject of the subject is provided by the subject of the subject is provided by the subject is provide

German Military Decoration for Deeds of Valor Has

Lost Caste

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Coblens, Jan. 13.— Hindenburg, as commander-in-chief of the German army, is trying to build up a relatively small, but assuredly dependable force. It is believed from the wording of an order for the support of the suppo

sist of as many active officers as possi-ble; they should be abundantly supplied with ammunition columns, and the machine-gun companies should be up to strength in men and material. Doubt-ful elements must be discreetly elim-

Volunteers from among dembobilized

It is a remarkable development that the iron cross-that decoration so highly





believed from the wording of an order

His confidential order to army commanders orders that one division from each army corps be set aside and maintained after demobilization. He pre-scribes that divisions shall be selected which has seen heavy fighting, and the which have seen heavy fighting, and the order further says; "Cadres of these divisions should con-

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"Don't say it," he said. "I am in the

Demonstration Lessons





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believed from the wording of an order for this purpose that the artillery is intended for potential use to maintain order within Germany.

His confidential order to army com-

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Congright, 1919, by the N. V. Times Co. order within the nation. Accurate data as to these volunteers is not available. major, a friend of mine. He told me as this recruiting is being done very he had just received orders to go home. quietly, but it is believed their number considerable I started to congratulate him. He





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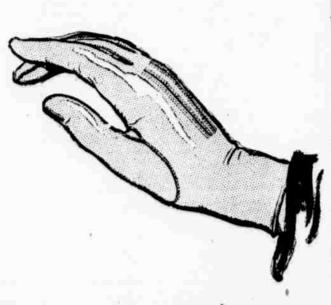


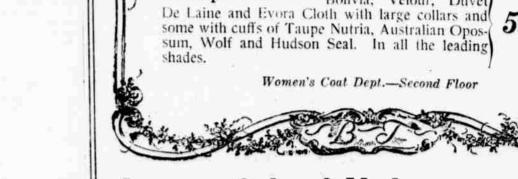
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